From: Ossi, Joseph (TPL)

To: Luden, Hymie (TRO-09); 'Miyamoto, Faith'

CC: Turchie, Donna (TRO-09) **Sent:** 8/17/2000 6:51:34 AM

Subject: RE: Honolulu Corridor DEIS cover page

I too am nervous about this. If the signature page is just now being inserted, how can several hundred copies be printed and mailed out by tomorrow? It seems physically impossible.

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----Original Message-----

From: Luden, Hymie (TRO-09)

Sent: Thursday, August 17, 2000 10:16 AM

To: 'Miyamoto, Faith'

Cc: Turchie, Donna (TRO-09)

Subject: Honolulu Corridor DEIS cover page

Good morning Faith,

I thought you wanted me to Fed Ex the page as soon as possible, so I did. It went by Fed Ex yesterday as soon as we signed it, to the address you gave me. Your request to change delivery addresses came hours too late. Maybe it'll arrive today, anyway. The time zones are on our side.

This morning, I faxed a copy, too.

Yes, you have to include information about how to comment on the draft. A cover letter is helpful to the recipient of the DEIS, but not necessarily helpful to the commenter who actually reads the DEIS. The document itself, not just the accompanying material, has to explain to whoever reads the DEIS how to comment.

You're not causing any problems at all, but I have to admit you're just making me a little nervous. I'm glad you're asking these questions but they worry me because they're usually asked long before the day before distribution. You're just double-checking, aren't you? If you're really not sure about how to proceed successfully, maybe you should give yourself more time. If you don't do it right, you may have to do it again.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Miyamoto, Faith [SMTP:fmiyamoto@co.honolulu.hi.us]

Sent: Wednesday, August 16, 2000 7:49 PM

To: Hymie Luden (E-mail) Cc: David Atkin (E-mail)

Subject: Primary Corridor Transportation Project

Aloha Hymie -

I hope you received the e-mail message from Julia Tsumoto of Hawaii Department of Transportation relating their approval of the revised sections.

I have two requests and one question.

Request No. 1 - Please fax me a copy of the signature page after Leslie has signed it. Our fax number is: (808) 527-6987.

Request No. 2 - Can you FedEx original signature page to our consultant's office? It should be sent to:

Mr. David Atkin

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Pacific Tower, Suite 3000

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Phone Number: (808) 531-7094

The reason for this request is that, I don't know if it would be delivered on Friday, but Friday is a State holiday (Admission Day) and so our offices will be closed. However, the office of our consultant will be open and they are handling the printing of the document.

The question that I have is regarding instructions for commenting. Is it required that we have a section after the abstract that informs commentors how to comment and by what date? We are planning to attach a transmittal letter to each document that provides the instructions as to who to send the comments to and by what date. Would this be sufficient?

Apologies for all the trouble we are causing you. Thanks for helping us out.

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